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WILL ENGLAND'S LONG WAIT END?
At long last, England advanced to their first major football final in 55 years. For a nation that's football mad, it's been a long wait. And now, nothing but the Euro Cup will do. In Raheem Sterling and Harry Kane, they have a couple of players in fine form. If they do manage to turn over Italy at Wembley expect 'it's come home' chants long through the night.

No cabinet rejig, govt's focus on third wave: BSY

'Experts warn next surge will be stronger, we're vaccinating all those above 18'

RAMKRISHNA BADSESHI @ Kalaburagi

THERE is no proposal before the government to either reshuffle or expand the ministry, like at the Centre, and the government is now focused on tackling the threat of third wave of the Covid pandemic and implementing developmental works, said Chief Minister BS Yediyurappa here on Saturday.

He said that health experts, in their report to the government, have expressed apprehensions that the Covid third wave could be stronger than the second one. "The government is already taking steps to counter it and started vaccinating all those aged above 18," he added.

Yediyurappa, who was here to lay the foundation stone for various development works, said that the government will think of holding a cabinet meeting in Kalaburagi, as proposed earlier, after the Covid third wave comes under control.

Though Covid cases have declined in Karnataka, there has been a surge in Maharashtra and Kerala. The government has now made it mandatory for people coming in from the two states to produce RTPCR certificates not older than 72 hours.

The CM kept himself away from the controversy surrounding the war of words between Mandya MP Sumalatha and JDS leader HD Kumarswamy, saying, "I don't want to comment on the issue. I am satisfied that my government has taken steps to construct a memorial for film icon Ambarish."

No change in state leadership: Pralhad

Ruling out a change in leadership in Karnataka, Union minister Pralhad Joshi said that the focus now is on battling Covid. "CM BS Yediyurappa has managed the State efficiently and also performed well. Moreover, party's state in-charge Arun Singh has already clarified on the issue," he added.

Logical sense and scientific knowledge

"For effective treatment, a doctor should possess logical sense along with scientific knowledge. Logical sense is like the *manodharmam* (instinctive improvisation) in *Kathakali*. It needs to dawn upon you at the right moment," P K Warrier wrote in *Smriti Parvam*

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AYURVEDA'S RENAISSANCE MAN

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Malappuram

IF Kottakkal Arya Vaidya Sala is a household name at least in the South, it is because of brand builder Dr P K Warrier, who led the Ayurveda renaissance for decades. His desire to learn and humility to assimilate new ideas helped the ancient medical system reinvent itself in line with the changing times. Warrier passed away on Saturday at the age of 100.

Besides modernising Ayurveda, Warrier encouraged research and took special care to preserve rare medicinal plants. A five-volume text on Ayurveda treatment published under his initiative is a ready reckoner on the treatment system at the international level. He embraced all systems of medicines and was always willing to pick up treatment methods from other systems like Naturopathy and Yoga. He welcomed blending of treatment methods from different streams to deal with critical cases.

Warrier used to tell his colleagues how they needed to use modern investigation methods like scanning and ECG to precisely learn about the issues of the patients. In the charitable hospital at Kottakkal run by Arya Vaidya Sala (AVS), treatment in modern medicine is also provided free of cost to poor patients along with Ayurveda treatment.

Under the supervision of Warrier, AVS intensified machine-supported drug manufacturing decades ago. *Kashayams*, which were prepared in steam plants till then, soon took a more convenient avatar of tablets. *Bhasmam* (powder containing metals) was packed into capsules while gel tubes replaced several of the *Kuzhambu* (thick viscous oil) preparations.

"P K Warrier promoted the scientific features of Ayurveda," said Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan in his condolence message.

No govt job, chance to contest local polls in UP's proposed two-child law

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Lucknow

JUST a day before World Population Day, a draft of the Uttar Pradesh Population (Control, Stabilisation and Welfare) Bill, 2021, proposed that those having more than two children will not be eligible for state government jobs, cannot contest local body polls and won't be able to get government subsidies.

The draft also says such persons will be ineligible for promotion in state government services, can get only up to four units in a ration card and will be debarred from the benefit of welfare schemes. The draft bill has invited suggestions from the public by July 19.

For those following the two-child norm, the draft proposes a series of incentives for government servants as well as the general public, including two additional salary increments, subsidy towards purchase of plots or house sites or built houses from the housing board or the development authority. The other incentives include a soft loan for construction or purchasing a house on nominal rates of interest, rebate on charges for utilities such as water, electricity, house tax, maternity or as the case may be, paternity leave of 12 months with full salary and perks.

It also proposes a 3% increase in the employer's contribution fund under the national pension scheme, free healthcare facility and insurance coverage to the spouse of those strictly following the two-child norm. For public servants who have only one child with either spouse undergoing voluntary sterilisation, the incentives include "two additional increments during the entire service, free healthcare facility and insurance coverage to the single child till the age of 20 years, and preference to a single child in admission in all education institutions."

NATIONWIDE	JULY 9	JULY 10
Fresh cases	43,393	42,766
Recoveries	44,459	45,254
Deaths	911	1,206

KARNATAKA	JULY 9	JULY 10
Fresh cases	2,290	2,162
Recoveries	3,045	2,879
Deaths	68	48

BIG PICTURE

Floodgates reopen between K'taka, TN

The Cauvery river water sharing issue has once again fuelled a political battle between Karnataka and Tamil Nadu, over the former's plans to go ahead with the ₹9,000-crore dam project at Mekedatu, about 100 km from Bengaluru. P6

Hizb chief's sons among 11 J&K govt staff sacked

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

THE J&K administration has terminated the services of 11 government employees, including two sons of Hizbul Mujahideen chief Syed Salahuddin, over their alleged involvement in anti-national activities, sources said on Saturday.

The sons of Pakistan-based Salahuddin—Syed Shakeel and Shahid Yousuf—were sacked over their alleged involvement in terror funding, which is being probed by the NIA. Shakeel was working as a medical assistant in Sher-i-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences while Shahid was at the Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Science and Technology. Former R&AW chief A S Dulat had once famously described how he had facilitated the admission of Salahuddin's son in a medical college in Srinagar.

All of the others were also found to have links with terror groups. One of them, an orderly at the Industrial Training Institute, Kupwara is reportedly an over-ground worker of Lashkar-e-Taiba. Two teachers from Anantang district were found to have participated in activities of banned terror outfits like the Jamaat-Islami and the Dukhtaran-e-Millat.

Two policemen who provided logistic support to terrorists were also sacked.

LONDON EYE

London will be the cynosure of sporting eyes on Sunday with two mega finals. Here's a look at both the Euro final, between England and Italy, and Wimbledon, between Novak Djokovic and Matteo Berrettini

NO 20 AT SW 19?

You have to go back a few decades for the last time three men (Rafa Nadal and Roger Federer are on 20) were level on the Majors won count. The Serb will be aiming to do just that against the Italian at Wimbledon. However, it won't be easy as Berrettini has handy weapons. But the World No 1 has lost only set – in his first match – en route the final.

LIVE: 6.30 PM ON STAR SPORTS AND HOTSTAR

MODERN ITALIAN MASTERPIECE

After the ignominy of not qualifying for the 2018 World Cup, there was a hard reset. Roberto Mancini was hired and the Azzurri haven't looked back. They place onus on attacking play, weaving geometry on the football field. Three years later, a win will be an immediate reward for a revolution. Italy will be aiming to win their second Euro final.

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Provision of Family Planning Services even in a crisis, for a self reliant Nation & Family

Hon'ble Minister for Health & Family Welfare and Medical Education, Dr. K. Sudhakar reviewing the health programs

Measures to promote family planning
- Increase public awareness about dangers of teenage pregnancies and less spacing between births.
- Easy access to information about birth of Child & Health services at all the Health Centres.
- Incentive to adopters of family planning and Service providers too.
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Get vaccinated without fail.

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